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In re Application of William F. Micka, et. al. Application No. 10/675,289

DECISION ON PETITION.

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Attorney Docket No. TUC920030045US1

This is a decision on the petitions under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 21, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Non-Final Office Action mailed, August 15, 2008, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on November 16, 2008.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an Amendment, (2) the petition fee of \$1620, and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Denise Williams at (571) 272-8930.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2167 for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the reply received.

Christopher Bottorff Petitions Examiner

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